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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Applicants are in receipt of the Office Communication dated May 21, 2008 (the "Office Action"), and now submit this response. A request for an extension of time through and including November 21, 2008, is being submitted herewith, and this reply is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.